

Misc

August 9, 1963

John P. Nelson, Jr., Esq.
Pille, Nelson and Limes
702 Gravier Building
535 Gravier Street
New Orleans 12, La.

Dear Jack:

Thank you for your letter. It was nice to hear from you. Let me know how your suit comes out, and if any difficulties should be anticipated.

My warmest and most thorough congratulations on your award.

Best regards,

Burke Marshall

their homes than white children and are not assigned to schools nearest their homes.

AUGUST 2

APPLICATION REJECTED

The witness testified that there is no junior high school for Indians in the parish and that they go through the eighth grade and then into high school.

Berilline Hotard, 14, who lives at Point Au Chien and who said that she is of Indian descent, testified that she was turned down when she attempted to enroll at South Terrebonne High School and was told she would have to go to the high school for Indians at Houma.

Deme Naquin, Point Au Chien, also of Indian descent, told the court that he attempted to enroll one of his sons in the South Terrebonne High School but was told that he must attend the Daigleville school in Houma.

Under cross examination by Schuler, Naquin said that he has seven children and all but the youngest are listed as white on their birth certificates. The youngest, he said, is classified as Indian.

He also told Schuler that he did not know why he attempted to get his son into the white school. "I guess I just wanted to see if he could get in," he asserted.

MOST DEEMED INDIAN

Judge Christenberry observed that there seems to be a difference in understanding as to who decides who is white and who is Indian and it seems to be a matter of name or custom.

The witness replied, "It's the place," and added that there are few at the Point Au Chien area who are not considered Indian.

The defense attorneys placed Francis Ancill, visiting teacher at the Terrebonne school board, on the stand and he testified that he had made a survey of the children named in the suit as plaintiffs and only two would go to schools other than those which they are now attending if they were assigned to the schools nearest their homes. These are two now attending the Daigleville School in Houma who live in the Point Au Chien area and would go to the South Terrebonne School if assigned.

Carl Joseph Hardison, clerk of the Terrebonne school board, testified that the Indian schools are staffed with teachers as qualified as those in white schools and the facilities are equal.

Handwritten: I would like to see you

Department of Justice

Washington

Handwritten: 10/4/63

October 4, 1963

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Re: Voting Suits

If we are not overtaken by other events which require the time of too many lawyers, I plan on the following suits between now and the end of the year. All of these are conditional upon unsuccessful negotiations, some of which are already underway:

LOUISIANA

1. Against the State challenging the use of application cards as an examination. This would particularly affect practices in New Orleans, Baton Rouge and Shreveport. This is not negotiable since we are challenging the constitutionality of the practice.

2. St. Helena Parish. This is prepared but not negotiated. About 11% of the Negroes of proper age are registered, but almost 80% of the recent applicants have been rejected, as against a 10% rejection rate of whites.

3. East Feliciana Parish. There are about 100 Negroes registered, but there is both intimidation and discrimination in the application of standards. This is in preparation, and will be ready shortly.

4. West Feliciana Parish. There are no Negroes registered. This case is prepared, has been negotiated, and should be filed this month. We are also preparing a 1971(b) case to prevent intimidation by the Sheriff unless they agree to drop criminal charges against a registration worker.

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ALABAMA

1. Male County. A complaint will be ready this month; to be negotiated.
2. Sumter County. A complaint will be ready this month; to be negotiated.
3. Etowah County. This is ready and is being negotiated.
4. Wilcox County. This is an intimidation case which is in preparation.
5. Autauga County. This is not prepared but will be before December 1.
6. Russell County. This is not prepared but will be before December 1.
7. Lowndes County. This is not prepared but will be before December 1.

MISSISSIPPI

1. Lauderdale County. In negotiations which will be unsuccessful.
2. Leake County. In negotiations which will be unsuccessful.
3. Copiah County. In negotiations which will be unsuccessful.
4. Warren County. In negotiations which will be unsuccessful.

GEORGIA

We are preparing an intimidation case in Webster County.

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BM

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
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REMARKS

Enclosed is a copy of our financial position as of Sept. 30. As pointed out in my memo of October 11, our budget is computed on the basis of the House figure- \$ 1,070,000.

Our final figure for fiscal 1963 has been raised to \$969,710, or \$21,303 over the figure set out in my memo. This increase represents a pro rate charge against all divisions for use of paper, supplies, equipment furnished by the Dept.

[Signature]

FROM

NAME	BUILDING, ROOM, EXT.	DATE
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DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
Statement of Obligations and Balances

Appropriation **SALARIES AND EXPENSES, GENERAL INVESTIGATIVE**
Division **CIVIL RIGHTS**

Date **10-7-63**
Period ending **September 30, 1963**

	PRIOR YEAR OBLIGATIONS			CURRENT YEAR OBLIGATIONS			Estimated Unobligated Balances
	Same Period	Total	Obligated to date	Annual Projection	Authorized	Estimated Unobligated Balances	
1. of positions		93	1040		100		
Aver. No. Employees		84	122		98		
11 Personnel compensation							
Permanent	157,374	681,124	208,331	862,800*	864,732*		
Temporary	4,319	14,751	17,074	19,100	17,000		
Fees, etc.	35	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -		
12 Personnel benefits							
21 Travel	11,131	47,993	15,730	61,000*	66,956		
22 Freight, express, etc.	23,903	108,694	87,011	108,000	62,800		
23 Rent, communications, and utilities	8	779	300	800	- 0 -		
24 Printing and reproduction	6,043	29,143	11,606	49,000	58,800		
25 Other services	3,802	29,570	6,133	30,000	11,800		
26 Supplies and materials	1,389	22,883	6,203	30,000	34,900		
31 Equipment	1,442	17,349	3,114	8,700	8,700		
32 Equipment	2,679	17,470	579	15,700	15,700		
Totals	227,847	969,710	296,163	(-) 15,288	(-) 15,288		
Other Revenues \$140							

REPORT

(11)	Regular Improvements (one evaluation)	14,232
	Sch II, Pay Increase	14,963
		\$ 833,605

(12)

Regular	28,977
Reimbursements	1,056
Sub II, Pay Increase	2,000

Note: Total obligations fiscal 1963 - \$969,710
Previous report 948,327
21,383

Items 24, 26, and 31 increased for payment of stock

Form No. DJ-960
(Rev. 4-13-61)

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REMARKS

October 9, 1963

I like Mrs. Heard especially --
However, I do not feel it to be sensible
management for someone outside the office
to be rating employees. I think that it
should be discouraged. Note that 3 of 4
secretaries recommended.

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FROM	BUILDING, ROOM, EXT.	DATE
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REMARKS

10.7.63

What is your comment?

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① I like Mrs. Head's suggestion. However, I do not feel it to be suitable management for Smith while the office is being reorganized. ~~He is not~~ I think this is not a good idea. Note that 3 of 4 secretaries recommended.

FROM		BUILDING, ROOM, EXT.	DATE
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think his presumptions.

It is in response to
Mr. Holzner's letter
of 3-1-63.

Sincerely
Shy

attached

United States Department of Justice
United States Attorney
Northern District of Mississippi
Oxford, Mississippi
October 3, 1963

Honorable Nicholas de B. Katzenbach
Deputy Attorney General
Department of Justice
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Katzenbach:

I wish to nominate and recommend three employees of this office for a Sustained Superior Performance Award. This one letter is written covering all three employees because it would be most difficult for me to separate their respective sustained superior contributions to the Government during the period covered by this recommendation. The employees, listed in order of their length of service, are as follows:

Mrs. Mary Lou Gamlen, Grade GS-301-6, Administrative Clerk (Stenography), who entered on duty February 21, 1929, now having 34 years of service. Mrs. Gamlen was last promoted July 1, 1944, to her present grade, being the highest grade that is authorized for this office. I am confident that Mrs. Gamlen is one of the most outstanding administrative clerks there is to be found in any U. S. Attorney's office in the nation. She provides a variety of administrative and legal clerical services absolutely essential to the management of this office. Mrs. Gamlen performs most ably all of the major duties and responsibilities as outlined in the position description for a GS-301-

6. plus providing me with a great deal of helpful advice, when requested, that only a person of her intellect and years of experience would be in a position to do.

Miss Mary Kate Heard, Grade GS-318-6, Secretary (Stenography) who entered on duty June 12, 1950, now having 13 years of service. Miss Heard was last promoted September 4, 1960, to her present grade, being the highest grade that is authorized for this office. She serves as secretary to me, as well as chief stenographer and office receptionist. All of the major duties and responsibilities as outlined in the position description for a GS-318-6 are performed by her in an efficient and outstanding manner. Lawyers, other callers and visitors to this office are most impressed by the courteous manner and sincere reception afforded them by Miss Heard. The knowledge she possesses and the intelligent use of her knowledge concerning the organization of the Department of Justice, this office, and other government organizations contribute immeasurably to my being able to function as United States Attorney.

Mrs. Mae B. Tubbs, Grade GS-312-5, Clerk-Stenographer, who entered on duty March 5, 1956, now having 7 years of service. Mrs. Tubbs was last promoted January 22, 1961. She serves as a clerk-stenographer and performs services for all assistant United States Attorneys in this office, as well as helping me when Miss Heard is not available. In addition to the performance for all attorneys of this office, she performs or supervises all of the clerk-stenographer duties involved in land cases. The accomplishments in

the land cases for this office during the period covered by this recommendation illustrate this fine employee's capabilities and dedication to duty.

Insofar as I can determine, there has never been a merit award to any employee in this office.

The period of time covered by this recommendation is from July 1, 1962, through July 30, 1963 (fiscal year 1963).

Even prior to the third and historic arrival of James H. Meredith on the University of Mississippi Campus on September 30, 1962, it was apparent that this office was to have its most active year. From July 1, 1962, to October 1, 1962, this office was short one clerk-stenographer who had resigned in June, 1962. During the fiscal year 1963 this office had an unprecedented number of visitors which resulted in these employees providing administrative support to great numbers of Department of Justice personnel, Army personnel, Corps of Engineer personnel, and others. Listed below are a few of the events, matters, and cases which put these employees to the supreme test wherein I consider they performed on a sustained superior basis:

- 1) Events leading up to the entry of James H. Meredith to the University of Mississippi on September 30, 1962. Immediately prior to this our office functioned as a communication center for Meredith's unsuccessful attempts to enter the University, and we were flooded with calls and visitors from news media.
- 2) All criminal cases and matters resulting from the University of Mississippi riot.

- 3) The long and extended preparation and hearing of the case involving the mental competency (18 USC 4244) of James P. Walker.
- 4) The habeas corpus case of James P. McShane, which is still pending in the U. S. District Court.
- 5) The civil suits brought against employees of the Government, growing out of the University of Mississippi riot, three of which are on appeal after having been favorably disposed of in the district court.
- 6) The state court injunction involving the Army's use of the University's airport, which was favorably resolved in the spring of 1963 by the acquiring on a loan basis lands from the U. S. Forestry Service.
- 7) The suit involving the use of the National Guard Armory, which was favorably resolved during the spring of 1963.
- 8) The suit brought by the State of Mississippi to remove the Army from the University of Mississippi campus, which was favorably resolved a few weeks ago.
- 9) Presentation of criminal matters to the grand jury in January, 1963, and preparation for the June and July, 1963, trials of the criminal cases concerning the University riot. These matters also caused an unprecedented number of visitors, news media, and witnesses to this office.

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1962, whereas in the fiscal year 1962 we had at least one vacancy, and part of the time two vacancies, in positions of assistant United States Attorney, which salaries alone would explain the increase; and without considering at all the increase in 1963, we experienced uncontrollable litigative expenses, i.e., printing and reporting. The success of handling these normal and routine matters and cases and keeping down the expense of operating this office is due, in the most part, to the work of these employees who are recommended for a Sustained Superior Performance Award.

Because throughout the year we were involved principally with the Civil Rights Division, the Criminal Division, and the Civil Division in the unusual matters and cases, I am sending a copy of this letter to various persons within those divisions who have visited this office, or have had representatives visit this office, who are familiar with the capabilities, dedication to duty, and superior performance of the above subject employees, so that if any of the persons receiving a copy of this letter may wish to advise the committee in charge of the Sustained Superior Performance Award Program of their concurrence or non-concurrence of my recommendations, they may do so. I ask that they communicate their views to you so that they may be received by October 14, 1963.

Sincerely yours,

H. M. Ray
United States Attorney

HMR/mkh
Encl.

cc: Honorable John W. Douglass
Asst. Attorney General
Civil Division

Honorable Burke Marshall
Asst. Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

Honorable John Doar
First Assistant
Civil Rights Division

Honorable Herbert J. Miller, Jr.
Asst. Attorney General
Criminal Division

Honorable Carl Belcher
Chief, General Crimes Section
Criminal Division

Honorable Robert J. Rosthal
Attorney
Criminal Division

Honorable Ramsey Clark
Asst. Attorney General
Lands Division

Honorable John M. Scanlon
Executive Office for U. S. Attorneys

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	FISCAL YEAR 1962	FISCAL YEAR 1963	CHANGE
CRIMINAL CASES FILED	169	183	14
CIVIL CASES FILED	67	114	47
TOTAL CASES FILED	236	297	61
CRIMINAL CASES TERMINATED	172	175	3
CIVIL CASES TERMINATED	62	81	19
TOTAL CASES TERMINATED	234	256	22
CRIMINAL CASES PENDING	22	20	-2
CIVIL CASES PENDING	55	82	27
TOTAL CASES PENDING	77	102	25
CRIMINAL TRIALS	11	27	16
CIVIL TRIALS	8	9	1
TOTAL TRIALS	19	36	17
CRIMINAL COMPLAINTS RECEIVED	576	523	-53
CIVIL MATTERS RECEIVED	90	151	61
PROCEEDINGS BEFORE GRAND JURY	122	142	20
COLLECTIONS AFTER SUIT	21,330.81	31,176.56	9,845.75
COLLECTIONS WITHOUT SUIT OR PROSECUTION	59,142.29	20,728.76	-38,413.53
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	80,473.10	51,905.32	-28,567.78
EXPENDITURES	67,580.85	74,270.27	6,689.42

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY ATTORNEY GENERAL

WASHINGTON, D. C.

September 18, 1964

TO ALL UNITED STATES ATTORNEYS:

The Sustained Superior Performance Program of the Department of Justice has been recently reevaluated by a Committee composed of Messrs. Cox, Clark, Dolan and Adler.

The Committee has found that in recent years only a few United States Attorneys have taken advantage of this program by recommending members of their staff for awards, and we feel that you may be overlooking this opportunity to reward those members of your staff who merit such recognition.

To be eligible for such an award, an employee must have maintained, for a substantial period, a record of performance superior to that of other employees in comparable positions. As the number of such awards which can be presented is necessarily limited, additional limitations are necessary.

The Committee has suggested that the Divisions of the Department plan to recommend 2-1/2 or 3% of their employees for awards each period, which would mean the recommendation of 5 or 6 percent of their employees for such awards each year. These same percentages should ideally be applied to the staff of United States Attorneys also. We realize, however, that due to the small number of employees in some offices, a strict application of this rule would be impossible. We suggest that these percentages guide you in determining which, if any, of your staff should be recommended for these awards in any given period.

Further, it is the Departmental policy that, absent unusual circumstances, an employee who has received a merit increase within the preceding twelve months should not be recommended for an award. Although an employee who has received a promotion during the past year is not ineligible for an award for sustained superior performance, it would be a factor which should be considered for such an advancement may have served as recognition of the same superior performance.

It is our hope that awards to a number of employees in the
offices of the Department can be made in the early fall.
We therefore would appreciate your reviewing the performance
of your staff and sending us the name of any employee which you
wish to recommend for one of these awards, the grade of such
employee, his length of service, and the dates of his last promo-
tion and merit increase. In preparing your recommendations,
please conform as nearly as possible with the enclosed list of
directions.

To be included in the awards program planned for this fall,
it will be necessary that all recommendations be received by
October 14, 1963.

Sincerely yours,

Nicholas deB. Katzenbach
Nicholas deB. Katzenbach
Deputy Attorney General

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Catholics and Communists
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Council will rule supreme.
It's that simple for these
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allowed to read.

Don't let this happen to
North Carolina!

Sincerely yours,
Lee G. Spainhour.

September 29, 1963

FROM MISSISSIPPI - OCT 2 1963

DRS. BEING SPENT FOR DR. G. J. SMITH WITH ADVICE, WATER SURGE, MISS.

Dear Mr. Golden, Mary
Maiden
" 5:15
Please send me your
Subscription rates.

The out of state press
is the only type for
papers in this state who
still think the atmosphere
here is of a world apart.
When Paul Johnson becomes
governor, he's going to strike
the Kennedy from the
card and that will

DRS. ROGER SPAINHOUR, JR., 612 SOUTH 34TH AVE. DUR, N.C. 27601

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HARRY GOLDEN, EDITOR

AIR MAIL

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ONLY QUOTED PERSONAL JOURNAL IN THE WORLD—
WHICH IS "ONLY IN AMERICA" FOR THE PLACE—
BY "CARL SANDERS" AND "YOU'RE ENTIRE"

CHARLOTTE 1, NORTH CAROLINA

Mr. Ed Guthman
Office of the Attorney General
Department of Justice
Washington 25, D. C.

Henry Golden
Ed Golden

Form No. G-1C
(Rev. 12-10-57)

FROM
DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC INFORMATION

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
to
Official indicated below by check mark

Attorney General	
Deputy Attorney General	
First Assistant Deputy Attorney General	
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Pardon Attorney	
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Board of Immigration Appeals	
Librarian	

MEMORANDUM

Burke:

The attached was sent
to me by Harry Golden.

Ed

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BULLETIN:

LOUISIANA RACIAL (TOPS 140)

PLAQUEMINE, LA. (AP)-POLICE RAIDED A NEGRO CHURCH WITH TEAR GAS TODAY AFTER BREAKING UP AN ATTEMPTED TEEN-AGERS "SIT IN" AT A WHITE HIGH SCHOOL WITH TEAR GAS AND ELECTRIC CATTLE PRODS.

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*Misc.
B. L.
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PLAQUEMINE, LA.--ADD LOUISIANA RACIAL (147)

A TEAR GAS GRENADE THROWN INTO FREEDOM ROCK BAPTIST CHURCH BROUGHT NEGROES SMASHING OUT FROM THE DOORS AND WINDOWS. POLICE PURSUED THEM FOR BLOCKS IN ALL DIRECTIONS, THROWING TEAR GAS GRENADES FREQUENTLY.

02126PFB 10/9

Misc.
4 October 1963

Dr. John W. Blyth
Director
Programed Learning Department
The Diebold Group, Inc.
430 Park Avenue
New York 22, New York

Dear Dr. Blyth:

Thank you for your letter. I called you to find out how your project was progressing, and am glad to learn that you are starting at Tougaloo. Let me know if there is some way I can be of assistance.

Very truly yours,

Burke Marshall
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

cc: Mr. Robert Moses

The Diebold Group, Inc.

Management Consultants

450 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK 22, N. Y. PLAZA 5-0400

October 2, 1963

Dear Mr. Marshall:

When I returned from a trip to Europe recently, I found that you had placed a telephone call for me in my absence. I am very sorry I missed your call. Please let me know if there is any way in which I can be of service to you.

You will perhaps remember the discussions I had with you and Bob Moses on literacy problems in Mississippi. I am delighted to be able to report that we are now getting started on that project. An anonymous gift was made to Tougaloo Southern Christian College to enable me to work with a group of Negroes in developing programed materials to help illiterate adults learn how to read and write.

You may remember also that I have been trying to organize a project relating literacy training to job training. I had expected long ago to have such a project organized with OMAT. So far I have been unsuccessful in getting a concrete project organized, although I still have some rather dim hope of eventually succeeding.

As we make progress in this effort, I shall keep you informed. In the meantime, may I express my appreciation to you for your interest and cooperation in trying to get this project underway.

Sincerely yours,

John W. Blyth

John W. Blyth, Ph. D.

Director

Programed Learning Department

Mr. Burke Marshall
Room 1145
Department of Justice
Ninth Street & Pennsylvania Avenue
Washington 25, D. C.

cc: Mr. John Doar

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4 October 1961

Joseph A. Califano, Esquire
General Counsel-Army
Room 2E-614
The Pentagon
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Joe:

In accordance with our telephone conversation, I am enclosing Mr. Hoover's memorandum to me on the sales of surplus arms to some southern communities. Would you please return them all to me when you have finished with them.

Very truly yours,

Burke Marshall
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

Attachment

MEMORANDUM TO THE HONORABLE HARLAN CLEVELAND

FROM: Burke Marshall

I am returning herewith the speech you sent over for review. I thought it was very good. Ed Guthman also reviewed it, and makes the following three very minor suggestions:

1. On page 5 or somewhere in the speech, I would make mention of the fact that a great many Asians have been integrated into our society -- Filipinos, Japanese and Chinese. The hyphenated Americans slipping into history are not only those with European backgrounds.

2. Also on page 5, fifth paragraph, last line, I suggest adding the words "in some states" to the last sentence.

3. On page 12 in the summary, I would include an additional point -- the majority of the American people are now committed to making progress in resolving racial problems and will not accept the status quo.

BM

2 October 1963
Attachment - Draft Speech

10) Approximately 20 civil rights cases which ^{page 5}
were either filed during the fiscal year
or required administrative support from
this office during the year, most notable
of which are as follows:

- a) D-C-15-61, Leonard C. Duke, Circuit Clerk, etc.
- b) D-C-53-61, Ellett R. Dogan, Sheriff, et al
- c) G-C-27-61, John J. Fraiser, et al
- d) GC638, City of Greenwood, et al
- e) GC6330, Leflore County, Miss., et al
- f) WC6331, City of Winona, et al
- g) D-CR-26-62, Ross E. Darby, Sheriff
- h) WCR6343, Earl Wayne Patridge, Sheriff, et al

The above matters are listed simply to explain some of the matters, cases, and events wherein this office was involved. I could not have performed my duties at all as United States Attorney except for the fact that these three outstanding employees throughout the period recommended performed their duties in a superior manner. These ladies were helpful in locating accommodations for hundreds of visitors and witnesses without regard to what other people of this community might have thought of them for so doing.

Notwithstanding the unusual activities listed above, this office had a banner year insofar as its normal and routine duties were concerned. A copy of the Department's statistical comparison of the years 1962 and 1963 is attached, which substantiates this position. For example, 76 land tracts were terminated, which greatly exceeded the goal which had been previously set. Another example is that, omitting one single large collection of \$44,500 in 1962, the collections for 1963 were an all time high. Expenditures in 1963 increased in the sum of \$6,689.42^{*} over the fiscal year 1962; however, we had a full staff of attorneys effective October,

** of which only \$200⁰⁰ was for overtime.*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

Memorandum

TO : Burke Marshall

DATE: September 7, 1963

FROM : *W. J. Brennan*

SUBJECT: Speech by Harlan Cleveland *6329*

When I called Harlan Cleveland, he told me that Kenny O'Donnell and Lee White recommended that he not give it. I will explain when I see you.

However, he thought that the Secretary might give a speech along this line later in the month and he was going to give it to him. He asked if we had any suggestions that we put them in writing and send them to him.

I was going to make three minor suggestions because I thought it was a very good speech.

On page 5 or somewhere in the speech, I would make mention of the fact that a great many Asians have been integrated into our society--Filipinos, Japanese and Chinese. The hyphenated Americans slipping into history are not only those with European backgrounds.

Also on page 5, fifth paragraph, last line, I suggest adding the words in some states to the last sentence.

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On page/ in the summary, I would include an additional point -- the majority of the American people are now committed to making progress in resolving racial problems and will not accept the status quo.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

ASSISTANT SECRETARY

September 6, 1963


MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Rufus Marshall
Assistant Attorney General
Department of Justice

Subject: Speech Clearance

I am delivering the opening address of welcome to the conference of the World Federation of United Nations Associations in New York on Monday morning. The members of WFUNA are the citizen organizations organized to support the United Nations and are more or less similar to the American Association for the United Nations.

Because WFUNA is meeting here for the first time; because mine is the welcoming address; because the Secretary General is on the same program; and because we do not choose to discuss our plans for the 18th General Assembly at this point, I felt it would be desirable to discuss the civil rights climate in this country and then relate that to the United Nations. The attached draft is the unedited result of that thought.

Since this is more your business than mine, I would greatly appreciate your comments which -- apologetically -- I shall need by Saturday morning.


Earl A. Cleveland

Attachment:

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U S ATTORNEY, ROBERT KENNEDY

JUSTICE DEPT WASHDC

DEAR SIR: AS YET WE HAVE RECEIVED NO ANSWER IN REGARDS TO OUR
REQUEST OF SEPT. 19TH TO DISPATCH U S ATTORNEY JOHN BONNER
OF NEVADA OR ASSISTANCE FOR ADVISE FOR THE FORTH COMING CONVENING
OF THE NEVADA EQUAL RIGHTS COMMISSION IN HAWTHORNE, NEVADA
ON THE 6TH OF OCTOBER. IT IS IMPERATIVE THAT YOU CONFIRM OR
DELY OUR REQUEST AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. THE ADVISE IS CONCERNING
THE MILITARY INSTALATION IN HAWTHORNE

BOB BAILEY CHAIRMAN NEVADA EQUAL RIGHTS COMMISSION

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SEPT 25, 1960

ROBERT KENNEDY, ATTORNEY GENERAL,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

AN ALL DAY SUMMIT CONFERENCE ON EQUAL CIVIL HUMAN RIGHTS HAS BEEN CALLED BY OUR COMMISSION FOR OCTOBER 5 IN HAWTHORNE, NEVADA. THE SESSION WILL OPEN WITH A NO HOST BREAKFAST AT HANDON'S DINER WITH GOVERNOR SAWYER AS KEYNOTE SPEAKER. SINCE THE MAIN PURPOSE OF THE CONFERENCE IS TO COORDINATE THE EFFORT OF ALL GROUPS AND INDIVIDUALS INTERESTED IN ADVANCING THE COST [sic] OF NON DISCRIMINATION IN NEVADA AND UPHOLDING THE STATED POLICY OF OUR STATE AND NATION WE RESPECTFULLY REQUEST THAT YOU USE THE GOOD INFLUENCES OF YOUR OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY IN NEVADA HONORABLE JOHN BONNER AND HIS ASSISTANT TO ATTEND THIS MEETING. FURTHER WE SUGGEST THAT YOU RECOMMEND THAT THE UNITED STATES ATTORNEY IN NEVADA CONSIDER AFTER PROPER ASCERTAINMENT OF SUPPORTING FACTS BRINGING DUE PRESSURE ON THE NAVAL AMMUNITION DEPOT TO DECLARE THE HAWTHORNE GAMING HOUSES WHICH ARE OPENLY AND BLATANTLY PRACTICING DISCRIMINATION AS "OFF LIMITS TO MILITARY PERSONNEL".

BOB BAILEY, CHAIRMAN, NEVADA COMMISSION ON EQUAL RIGHTS FOR CITIZENS, STATE BUILDING, LAS VEGAS, NEVADA.

27 September 1963

McNeill Smith, Esquire
Smith, Moore, Smith, Schell
& Hunter
Attorneys at Law
Suite 700
Jefferson Standard Building
Greensboro, North Carolina

Dear Mac:

Thank you for your letter and thoughts on the vacancy created by Judge Preyer's resignation. They will be given consideration. He is outstanding, and a loss to the bench. I hope he makes it.

Best regards,

Burke Marshall
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Division

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No problem.
Your + Smith Bm
24 Sept. 5:00 PM
Mr. Smith

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Letter to Mr. Smith
Dear Mr. Smith
Thank you for
your letter and thought
to the Department
Re: your consideration
He is on the list
and a letter to
to the Bureau
hope to make it
Best regards,
J. Edgar Hoover

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TELEPHONE 273-2306

Honorable Burke Marshall
Assistant Attorney General
Office of the Attorney General
of the United States
Justice Department
Washington, D. C.

Dear Burke:

I am sorry to have missed you last Thursday night when I was passing through Washington and called your office. L. Richardson Preyer has made a very good Judge and will make a good Governor and we are doing all that we can to insure that he is elected. His retirement from the Bench in the Middle District leaves a vacancy which many are seeking to fill. Ralph Stockton of Winston-Salem is an experienced trial lawyer with whom I have had many good associations. He is a diligent worker and keeps current. His performance can reasonably be predicted to be closer to that of Preyer's than any of the candidates mentioned around here and some of them (who are also my friends) have attitudes and points of view that would be handicaps to them in discharging the responsibility of a United States Judge.

If the occasion arises when it would be of any interest, I would be glad to discuss this with you more directly.

Kindest personal regards,

Yours aye,

McNS:bmcp

P.S. Perhaps you will recall that Rich Preyer, although speaking at the Law School at Chapel Hill on the same night, May 1, 1963 that you spoke at the Carolina Inn, nevertheless came by the Carolina Inn to speak to us at the start of the dinner and to express his regrets about the conflict which prevented him from staying through the whole evening with us.

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C. P. J. MOONEY
LAWYER
AND COMMERCIAL TITLE INSURANCE
MEMPHIS, TENN.

September 25, 1963

Honorable Burke Marshall
Assistant Attorney General
Civil Rights Department
U. S. Department of Justice
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Marshall:

I have your letter of September 9, 1963, in response to an inquiry I made of the Attorney General on June 22, 1963. I cannot find a copy of my letter of that date. If you will re-read my letter, I am satisfied you will find that someone has been proceeding on a false premise. I knew at the time I wrote the same that a number of white lawyers in Memphis had been invited to the conference. In my opinion there was not a Kennedy vote among the group invited. I think some of the lawyers that have supported Mr. Kennedy and have in the past supported all of the democratic nominees should have been invited.

At any rate it is nice to hear from you again. Please remember me to Messrs. Doar and Flanery.

Sincerely,

C. P. J. Mooney
C. P. J. Mooney

CPJM/CAG

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